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APPLICANT	: Ute HEIM, et al.,
FILED	: May 3, 2001
FOR	: Cassette for Expression of Arbitrary Genes in Plant Seed

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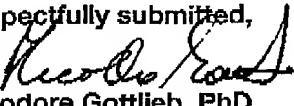
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Attached please find:

- Response to Restriction Requirement
- Petition One Month Extension

If there are further issues to resolve feel free to contact me at 646 487 5675.

Respectfully submitted,


Theodore Gottlieb, PhD
Registration Number 42,597

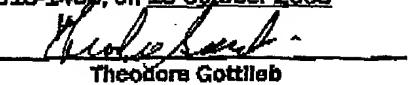
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APPLICANT	: Ute HEIM et al.,
FILED	: 3 May 2001
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1. This is a petition to extend the period of time one (1) month for filing a response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2003.

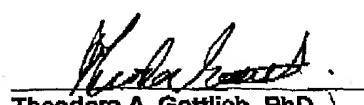
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2. Applicant is: **SMALL ENTITY**

EXTENSION (MONTHS)	FEES FOR LARGE ENTITY	FEES FOR SMALL ENTITY
One month <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	\$110	\$55
Two months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$410	\$205
Three months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$930	\$465
Four months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,450	\$725
Five months <input type="checkbox"/>	\$1,970	\$985
TOTAL FEE \$55.00		

4. A Response and Notice of Appeal is filed herewith
5. Charge the petition fee to Deposit Account No. 14-1263 and for any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

Respectfully Submitted,


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